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### NARROW ESCAPE

From Death Experienced by President Roosevelt at Pittsfield Thursday.

#### SECRET SERVICE MAN

Ground to Death Under Wheels of Electric Car Which Demolished Tally-bo Occupied by the President and Party.

Thursday morning an ecctric the Creek nation. car running at a high rate of speed at Pittsfield, Mass , crashed into a tally be containing President provides that the Creeks may lease Roosevelt, Governor Crone, of their allotments for a term not ex-Massachusetts, Secretary Cor'el- ceeding five ye. rs for agricultural you and William Craig, of the purposes, and for not more than United States secret service. The one year for grazing purposes, secret service man was killed. The without awaiting the approval of driver of the carriage, D. J. Pratt, the interior department, although in dying. His skull is fractured. all leases are subject to rejection President Roosevelt received only by the interior department if found elight bruises and a few scratches. or designed to work to the detri-Secretary Cortelyon was bruised ment of the Indians. Chief Porter and scratched, in addition to a cut reports that many persons are upon the head. Governor Crane lessing the Indian allotments, oswas slightly injured. The carriage | tensibly for argicultural purposes, horses were killed. The Presi- but are evidently trying to secure dent was able to continue his jour- possession of the lands. The plan ney to Lenox, but see word shead is not a new one by any means,

a short time at the home of ex- property and the terms of the United States Senator Dawes in lease. Pittefield. The Presidential party South street. There were four provements shall be taken from small telly-hoe. When near the the contal fund. This he consid-Country glub and the railroad era simply a scheme to enable the

Pratt, the driver of the coach, re- which is being worked up by the Seminole nations will soon be will doubtless result latally.

point about a mile and a half from nies, and will be induced to part Creeks as the dropping of the first Lenox, near the Pittefield Coun- with his property for a trivial cash barrier to a tide of immigration try club house. The President was enjoying a coaching trip from Dalton, Governor Crane's home, where the president spent the out of their lands by several organnight, to Lenox, a distance of ized bodies of land agents, who twenty miles over the Berkshire have been working their schemes Will Be Established Here by the hills. He stopped a moment in in the different nations in the In-Pittsfield. The car was in charge dian Territory for a number of of Conductor James Kelly, with | years. Motorman L. J. Madden on the front platform.

The car struck the coach in the rear and smashed in the back of the vehicle, tipping it over and throwing its occupants to the ground. The car was not badly damaged. Motorman Madden and the conductor were arrested. Pratt the driver of the coach, was brought here and placed in the Pittsfield hospital.

The accident resulted in the president bringing his New England tour to an end and returning to Oyster Bay.

### STABBING AFFRAY.

Walter Morrison Knifed by a Showman at Chelsea.

Joe Gannon, who had been conducling a side show at the Chelsea fair, was brought in by a deputy marshal Saturday afternoon charged with dengerously stabbing Walter Murrison, son of Dr. Mor-

rison, of Chelses, Thursday night. An altercation arose between the two and Gannon used his dian Territory from 1875 to 1884, ber; Poteau, third Monday in given up by physicians. Kodol saved the two and Gannon used his dian regritory from lots to local, but, to said the second Monday in my life. Take it after meals. A knife in the reculting fight, inflict- and was well known to all old- March and second Monday in W. Foreman. ing several serious wounds.

Young Morrison will recover.

Avoid serious results of kidney or Kidney Cure. Sold by Peoples' drog live in California except Mrs. Sanbladder disorder by taking Foley's

Chief Porter Explains Swindling flethods of fluskogee I and Companies.

HOW THEY WORK IT.

Pleasant Porter, chief of the Creek Indians, has written a letter | chairman; Merriman Highley, Atto Mr. Hitchcock, secretary of the wood, Kaneas and Lucien W. Bufinterior, concerning the condition fington, Vinita. of the Creeks since the ratification of the supplemental treaty passed by Congress on June 30, 1902. Chief Porter calls attention to the operations of the land sharks and nvestment companies in the Territory, and emphasizes the importance, already well appreciated by driving the land speculators out of

The treaty, passed by Congress and ratified by a vote of the Creeks, that there should be co cheering. but is simply a form of deceiving President Roosevelt bad stopped | the Indiane as to the value of their

According to Chief Porter, many left the Dawes home shortly after of the allottees are signing leases 10 o'clock and was driven down which provide that the cost of im procesing, on electric car was seen | land companies to secure possescoming at a terrific speed. Mr. ejop of the lands. He explains President Scamen of the Ozark by the department. Craig, on the box, signaled to the that the lease price is small, aver- & Cherokee Central railroad has motorman to stop, but he appar- sging about 25 cents an acre per given his impressions of the Indian the attention of the tribal authori- Kelpner, H C Bluejacket, Blueently paid no attention to the year. The land speculator, in se- Territory in a St. Louis interview, ties and an investigation is prom jacket; Chas Newman, Eagle; Jno warning. The car came plunging curing the lease, pays a six as follows: months' rental in advance, thus "The Indian Territory is at A witness of the recident stated | giving the Indian \$20 or \$20 in | present one of the greatest fields that the motorman was speeding cash. After that payment the for commercial exploitation which his car in order to reach the club. less cholder places improvements has been opened for many years. With a crash the car hit the tvlly- on the land and fixes a cost for the Its great natural resources, its rapho. The President, Governor improvements that will exceed the idly increasing population, and its Crane and Secretary Cortelyou rental value at the end of the five- many advantages of soil and cliwere piled in a heap. A crowd year period. After five years the mate, make it the ideal country rushed to the President's carriage Indian, under the terms of the for the business man, the investor with no expectation that he would treaty, is allowed to sell 120 acres or the settler, be found alive. The President of his allotment, with the approvwas cut on the right side of his al of the secretary of the interior, mission is about completed, tribal chin and his face is much swollen. the remaining forty acres not be- relations are being broken up and The secret service agent, William | ing subject to sale for twenty-one | millions of acres in the Cherokee,

> consideration. Every effort will be made to prevent the Indians being swindled

### POSTAL AUTHORITIES

Insist on Good Sidewalks Before Granting Free Delivery.

obtaining free mail delivery is a work preparatory to appraisement ered with deep, ragged holes. valuable lesson to Viuita and other will be commenced at once. Territory towns which will soon have offices of the second class.

time ago that free delivery was to until the appraisement work is grain dealer and was well known be instituted at Muskogee Decem- completed throughout the Nation. throughout the territory. ber 1, if certain conditions in the matter of improving streets and

sidewalks were complied with. Postmaster Estes lately received notification from Washing. ton that unless good sidewalks were built, and the houses numbered, by December 1st Muskogee the terms as follows: South Mc- wonderful reconstructive tonic that would go on the waiting list with the rest of the territory towns.

timers in this country. He was November. the father of Mrs. Thos. Sanson, of Muskogee. He leaves a large family of children, all of whom

## APPRAISEMENT! IS IT A GRAFT? FEDERAL COURT.

Townsite Commission for the Firm of Washington Attor-Cherokee Nation Appointed By Secretary of Interior.

Muskogee, I. T., Sept. 4, 1902. The Secretary of the Interior has appointed the following townsite commission for the Cherokee

Edwin Long, Rolls, Missouri,

It is an occasion for congratulation that Mr. Edw n Long, appointed the chairman ofthe board, is not a stranger to Vinita, having been here on several occasions as the guest of our present Mayor, they having been chums from Mr. Hitchcock, of enforcing the of age, the present mayor of his provisions of the new treaty and of age, the present mayor of his a reversal is guaranteed in the Injuries, the following being accepted large mercantile house, which is terior department when they are as grand jurors: owned by his father and himself, brought up for review. Is the owner of considerable propof buildings at the Missouri State the department. University, costing about \$75,000. In his appointment those who mission in citizenship cases are were approinted; D C Boswell, know him say that the nation and forwarded to the Interior depart- court crier; W J Tygar, grand jury the people have every reason to ment, where the evidence is re- bailiff; D Meredith and Sol Ketchbe gratified.

ritory, though It is said that he is a man of ability.

Lucien Buffington, the repre sentative of the nation is too well

The sppointment of the Commission means the immediate appraisement of Vinita.

#### SEAMAN CONFIDENT.

Impressed With the Indian Territory.

"The work of the Dawes com-Craig, was killed outright. D. J. years. Under the lease scheme, Creek, Choctaw, Chickasaw and ceived a fracture of the skull, which | land agents, the average Indian | open for partial settlement. "Mr. will find himself in debt at the end | Seaman regards the acceptance of The accident happened at a of his years to the land compa- the treaty by the Cherokees and which shall parallel the Oklahoma

### PERMANENT OFFICES

Townsite Commission.

Edwin Long, chairman of the

The offices here will be the permanent headquarters of the com. dered, but not a thing of value was Announcement was made some mission and will be maintained found on the body. Dickey was a liquor.

Changes in Court Dates. at Durant has necessitated a is perfect and whose stemach per change in the time of holding forms its every function is never sick. court at the various towns in the Ceptral district. Judge W. H. Clayton has issued an order fixing digestion and dyspepsia. It is the Alester; first Monday in January is making so many sick people well and May; Atoka, second Monday and weak people strong by conveying Death of John Q. Tufts.

In February and first Monday in lot their bodies all of the nourishment lot the food they eat. Rev. J. H. Holladay, of Holladay, Miss., writes: day at his home in Los Angeles, March and fourth Monday in Oct- "Kodol has cured me. I consider it Cal., at the age of 63 years. Mr. ober; Antiers, second Monday in the best remedy I ever used for dys-Tufts was Indian agent for the In- April and first Monday in Docem- pepsia and atomach troubles. I was

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been enrolled on doubtful cards opened Monday morning. have received notification from a firm of Washington attorneys that tains a large number of cases, yet their cases have been reported ad- with the transfers to the other but that for a contingent fee, pay- within two weeks.

The decisions of the Dawes com- The following court officials viewed and a final decision ren- um, bailiffs. Merriman Highley, the other dered by the department. As the In his charge to the grand jury, the parties in interest are notified. ing them as to their duties.

This firm of attorneys, however, The only crime specifically mencommission.

Another Railroad President Who is They notify the claimants as soon in checking it. as the reports of the commission J. H. Dixon was announced are received, and name the time for man of the grand jury. when they will be finally decided The following were accepted as

### FEARED MOBLAW

Suspected, Murderers of E.V. Dickey Alarmed at Presence of Chanute Crowd.

who refused to give his name, who taken up. were arrested on the charge of murdering E. V. Dickey, the Dewey grain dealer, at Chanute last week, have been safely lodged in Cases That Are Set For Hearing This the Chanute jail.

the atrociousness of the crime attracted a large crowd to the railroad station when the suspects were brought in, and it was feared for a while that they would be the victims of mob violence.

Mrs. Guinane is the wife of William Guinane, who was sent to the Kansas penitentiary last year on a larceny charge.

The murder of which the pristownsite commission, was here oners are suspected was fiendishly yesterday, returning to his home accomplished. The victim was at Rolla last night. Mr. Long will inveigled into going to a secluded return this week, and will engage spot in the Sante Fe railroad yards suitable offices for the commission. at Chanute and there was brutally The clerks attached to the com. beaten over the head with coup-The vicissitudes of Muskogee in mission will report this week, and ling pins until his skull was cov-

The murdered man had \$200 on him the day before he was mur-

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#### DOCKET CRIMINAL

Expected to be Cleared Within Two Weeks .- New Court Officials Appointed .- Personnel of the Juries.

The first regular term of the Recently a number of claimants United States court since the dito Cherokee citizenship who have vision of the Northern district was While the criminal docket con-

versely by the Dawes commission, courts it is expected to be cleared uildbood. Mr. Long is 30 years able out of their disputed money The morning session was devot-

town, Rolls; the manager of a a reversal is guaranteed in the in- juries, the following being accepted J H Dixon, Lem Paris, C A Da-

The fact that these attorneys vis, Jack Culp, J W Davis, D E erty and has had a great deal of bave access to what have always Brown, Sam McKenzie, C S Pearexperience with real estate. He been considered confidential re- son, J L Sherer, J V Carroll, Jno has financed a number of large un- ports of the Dawes commission is Davis, D A Wilson, Geo Fincandertakings, including the erection suggestive of a leak somewhere in non, Adam Holden, Geo Nidiffer, T W Thompson.

outside member of the commission cases are disposed of the decisions Judge Gill stated that he would is not generally known in the ter. are forwarded to the Dawes com- not innte an extended address, but mission, and after their receipt would confine himself to instruct-

evidently have access to these re- tioned by the Judge was the liquor known to need any introductory ports and, moreover, strongly in- traffic, and he strongly urged that timate that unless they are em- all such cases be thoroughly inployed the department will sus- vestigated. He said that 80 per tain the adverse decision of the cent of the crimes committed in the Indian Territory could be di-They evidence their confidence rectly traced to the traffic in inby offering to take the cases on tuxicants, and urged the members contingent fees without expense. of the jury to use every endeaver

petit jarore; The matter has been brought to John Miller, Needmore; E W Hall, W M Clevenger, C Williamson, Bluejacket; Jan Lacy, Spavinw: Harry Jones, George Parks, helses; H Ward, Ketchum; R A Judd, Afton; Price Parks, Adair; M A Sorrell, Jake Walter, G W Rice, John Britt, Thos Sheehan, Wash Lynch, John Webb, John I Hawkins, Newt Bumgardner, H R

Allen, T W Perry, Vinita. After charging the petit jurors court adjourned until 1:30 p. m. Mrs. Stella Grinano and a man when the criminal docket was

### CRIMINAL DOCKET.

September 8, 1902. Mamie Fox, perjury. Mary Fish, perjury. Jap Underwood, dispensing iquor; four counts. William Tilley, robbery.

Ruius Matney, trespass on school Hugh Tittle, Keener Hyatt, Oscar Roberts, Oliver Scott, burg- road.

lary and larceny. Boogy Sanders, assault to kill. Lige Long and Norval Davids,

disturbing the peace. Harvey Bacon, disturbing religious worship.

Tom Hicks, exhibiting game device; six counts. Emmet Hood, larceny and receiving stolen property; two counts.

R. C. Jenkins, introducing Oliver Scott, Clarence Alexan-

der, Frank Thompson, larceny. Lon Haines, wearing weapons. C. Stevens, introducing liquor. C. Stevens, dispensing liquor; two counts.

ing the peace. Jim Welch, introducing liquor. John Bray and Evaline Crum, adultery.

Bill Balew, Jesse Allen, disturb-

John Harris, carrying weapon. J. W. Harrod, dispensing liquor two counts.

September 9 .- 2ad Day. Jesse Burr, larceny and receivng stolen property; two counts. Boogy Sanders, assault to kill. Ed Resce, larceny and receiving stolen property. Guy Miller, same.

liquor; two counts. Milo Brady, same. Jackson Blunt, introducing liq.

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Noah Hawk, Ben Hawk, disturbing religious worship. Boogy Sanders, assault to kill. Jack Michals, introducing liq. " dispensing liquor.

September 10-3rd Day. W. F. Boling, assault to kill. Noah Allen, obstructing public

Noah Allen, destroying fence. T. M. Jackson, carry weapon. " disturbing peace. Lewis Fair, introducing liquor. " dispensing Tobe Smith, robbery. " carry weapon. John Ray, introducing liquor.

" dispensing September 11-4th Day. Addison Stewart, adultery. carnal knowledge female. Addison Stewart, incest.

Earl Holt, murder. Herse Lee, dispensing liquor. " introducing Jim Ballard, Arch Ballard, assault and battery. Ceorge Mays, assault to kill." W. J. Osborn, disturbing peace.

September 12-5th Day. James Tilley, removing property on which there is a lien by peration of law.

violation 5,399,

James Titley, larceny. John Simco, Frank Fuller, introducing liquor. John Simco, Frank Fuller, dis-

Frank Clark, introducing liquor. " dispensing Harrison Williams, dispensing Bob Cummius, John Yockey, introducing liquor.

Bob Cummins, John Yockey,

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